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Please cancel claims 4, 5, and 14-16.

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A recessed fastener adapter device for recessing a fastener on a printed wire board (PWB), the device comprising:

B1 a board interface for interfacing the adapter device with the PWB at a fastener hole, wherein the board interface interfaces with the PWB at the fastener hole and includes a top surface; and,

a fastener head engaging surface for accepting and recessing a fastener head having a top surface, wherein the fastener head engaging surface engages a fastener head and recesses a fastener head, and

wherein neither the top surface of the board interface nor the top surface of the fastener head protrudes from the PWB top surface.

10. (Amended) A system for recessing a fastener on a printed wire board (PWB), the system comprising:

the PWB having a fastener hole, a top surface, and a bottom surface; and

B2 a recessed fastener adapter including:

a board interface for interfacing the recessed fastener adapted with the PWB at the fastener hole, wherein the board interface interfaces with the PWB at the fastener hole and includes a top surface; and,

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having a top surface, wherein the fastener head engaging surface engages a fastener head and
B2 recesses a fastener head, and

wherein neither the top surface of the board interface nor the top surface of the fastener
head protrudes from the PWB top surface.
